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# WE ARE... MARSHALL®

The Newsletter for Marshall University

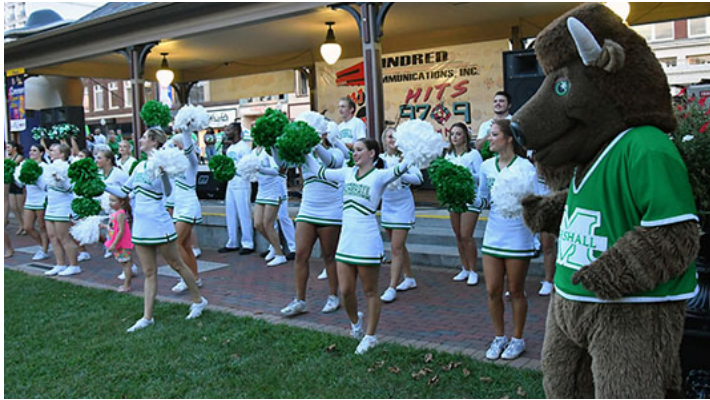
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## Freshmen join the Marshall family during Week of Welcome

A week's worth of activities brought the Class of 2021 into the Herd last week with traditional activities on the Huntington campus such as the class picture at the John Marshall statue, the convocation at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center, the pep rally at Pullman Square and, debuting this year, the multimedia production of "Marshall Traditions" written by Assistant Professor of Music Jesse Nolan.





## Drinko Library and Information Center to host open house today, Aug. 23



The faculty and staff are invited to join Libraries and Online Learning and the Division of Information Technology for a progressive open house from 2 to 6 p.m. today, Aug. 23, at the Drinko Library and Information Center on the Huntington campus.

During the event, guests will be encouraged to

travel around Drinko Library to enjoy refreshments and learn more about IT and library services including circulation, inter-library loans, the Writing Center, Instructional Design Center, ID Office, IT Service Desk, Marshall Digital Scholar and more.

“We are hoping our new format will help faculty become acquainted with both our new and existing services in an informal and inviting way,” said Dr. Monica Brooks, associate vice president of libraries and online learning. “It’s also an opportunity for them to meet the faculty and staff to ask questions and learn more about the research and curriculum support networks the libraries and online learning have at our disposal.”

Information Technology staff members will be in attendance to assist with questions about IT infrastructure and services.

“The Division of Information Technology is happy to welcome faculty to our part of the campus,” said Jody Perry, executive director of technology services. “There will be members of our IT Infrastructure team as well as our IT Services team on hand throughout the open house to answer any IT-related questions, give presentations on myMU and MUMobile and lead hourly tours of the data center.”

“The data center is where the magic happens. The 1800-square-foot, state-of-the-art facility is equipped with 87 physical servers, 502 virtual servers and more than 270 terabytes of storage. It’s what controls e-mail, Banner, myMU and all other IT services. Visitors will be given an overview of the security and monitoring in place, as well as a chance to see the VMware virtual environment and Big Green Cluster up close,” Perry said.

The event will also showcase the new co-location of the Campus ID office and IT Service Desk, as well as information about additional changes to IT services.



“We are also excited to share the changes we’ve made to better serve the university,” Perry, said. “The IT Service Desk and the Campus ID Office have moved into their new locations on the first floor of the Drinko Library and Information Center and we have completed several ‘Behind the Scenes’ updates in and around campus that affect the entire university community.”

Refreshments including appetizers, desserts, beer, wine and coffee will be available on each floor throughout the event.

Marco will be available for photos from 4 to 5 p.m.

For more information, visit [www.marshall.edu/drinkoopenhouse](http://www.marshall.edu/drinkoopenhouse) or contact Kelli Johnson at [johnson28@marshall.edu](mailto:johnson28@marshall.edu) or 304-696-6567.

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## Alves to give solo guitar recital Thursday



Dr. Júlio Ribeiro Alves, a faculty member of Marshall University’s School of Music, will perform a solo guitar recital at 7.30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 24, at the Jomie Jazz Forum on Marshall’s Huntington campus.

The recital will open with a selection of pieces from *Appunti di viaggio* (“Travel Diaries”) by Italian composer Giorgio Signorile, which will be followed by three pieces by Paraguayan composer Agustín Barrios, from his *Waltzes Op. 8*.

*Estrela da Manhã* (“Morning Star”), written by Brazilian composer Marco Pereira, who is considered a leading figure in the Brazilian guitar scenario due to his creativity as a composer and his virtuosity as a performer, will come next..

*Suite Nordestina* (“Northeastern Suite”), next on the program, was written by Erisvaldo Borge in 2016 and dedicated to Alves. It has three movements, each of which carries one of Alves’ daughters name in its title: “*Baião de Cecília*,” “*Canção de Elena*” and “*Frevo de Clarissa*.” Alves says he looks forward to sharing his interpretive reading of this piece that, for obvious *reasons*, has a strong personal meaning to him.

To finish the program, Alves will perform “*Sonata*” by Italian composer Giorgio Tortora, who is the chair of classic guitar studies at Instituto di Musica in Gorizia, a town in northeastern Italy that borders Slovenia.

The program is free and open to the public. For further information on the School of Music, call 304-696-3117.

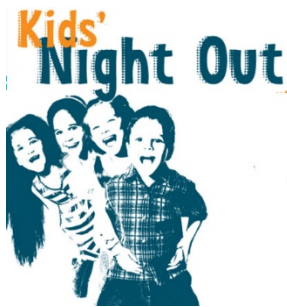
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## Marshall Campus Recreation Announces Dates for Kids' Night Out



The first Kids' Night Out after summer break will be on Friday, Aug. 25, at the Marshall Rec Center on the Huntington campus from 5 to 9 p.m.

Children will spend the evening at the Rec playing team sports, swimming, and rock climbing. An evening dinner will also be provided.

Potty-trained children ages 4-12 will be able to interact with other kids during a fun, safe night at the Marshall Recreation Center. All they need to bring is a swimsuit, towel, change of clothes, and closed-toed shoes.

For children who are members, the event is free. The cost for non-members is \$15.

Parents can register their children at the Welcome Desk or on the Recreation Center website. Advance registration is encouraged, but not required. Registration is limited to 60 children.

Kids' Night Out will also be occurring on the following dates: Sept. 15, Oct. 20, Nov. 10, Dec. 15, Jan. 19, Feb. 16, March 16, April 20, and May 18. All are Fridays.

In addition to Kids' Night Out, Marshall Campus Recreation will be offering day-and week-long camps throughout the year. Please check the schedule and any updates at [www.marshallcampusrec.com](http://www.marshallcampusrec.com) and click on Youth Programs.

For more information, please call the Recreation Center ProShop at 304-696-4REC(4732) or e-mail Chad Steen, Assistant Director of Adventure Recreation and Youth Programs at [steenc@marshall.edu](mailto:steenc@marshall.edu).

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## Marshall Choral Union rehearsals open to all

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The Marshall University Choral Union began open rehearsals Aug. 21. Singers who would like to join the group may still do so by attending the next rehearsal at 7 p.m. Monday, Aug. 28, in room 150 of Smith Music Hall on Marshall's Huntington campus.

The Choral Union is open to Marshall students and community members alike and will offer a one-night-only performance later in the semester.

Bradley, formerly a choral director for Fairland and Huntington high schools. In addition to her tenure as a high school choral director, Bradley has also directed the Renaissance Choral Group and continues to direct youth groups at First United Methodist Church in Huntington.

College credit for participation in the union is available but not required. For more information about the choral union, call Bradley at 304-654-5445 or e-mail her at [bradley34@marshall.edu](mailto:bradley34@marshall.edu).

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*Congratulations!*



**Ed Dzierzak**  
**Wednesday, August 30, 2017**  
**3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.**

Marshall University Medical Center  
Health Science Library - 2nd Floor

**Thank you and good luck with your retirement!**

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## Four physician brothers establish medical student scholarship in honor of parents



Four physician brothers have established an endowed scholarship at the [Marshall University](#) Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine in honor of their parents.

All alumni of the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, Robert C. Anton, M.D., Class of 1989; John J. Anton, M.D., Class of 1992; Christopher G. Anton, M.D., Class of 1993; and Michael E. Anton, M.D., Class of 1999, wanted a scholarship that honored the legacy of their parents, Dr. Charles Joseph Anton Jr. and Mary Louise Anton, and their impact on the Huntington community.

Dr. Charles Anton was a practicing radiologist with Radiology, Inc., in Huntington from the late 1960s until his retirement in the late 1980s. Mary Louise Anton was actively involved in the Huntington community.

“As native Huntingtonians, Marshall University and the School of Medicine were always part of our life—and part of our family, in a way,” John Anton said on behalf of the four brothers. “While growing up, our parents stressed the importance of charity and community. We believe that endowing this scholarship is the least we can do, and there is no better way to honor our parents who gave so much to Marshall University and the Huntington community.”

After Charles Anton retired, the couple moved to Hilton Head, South Carolina, where they still reside.

The scholarship, known as the *Dr. Charles Joseph Jr. and Mrs. Mary Louise Anton Scholarship*, is designated for first-year medical students. First preference will be given to Huntington and/or Cabell County residents; second preference will be given to students who are residents of West Virginia. The award is renewable for three additional years pending normal academic progress.

The sons noted their father’s enjoyment from his interactions with medical students and residents through the many stories he’s shared.

“We saw Dad’s sense of purpose and made it our own as we matured into young doctors, each of us graduating from the Marshall School of Medicine,” John Anton said. “Every day, we now see the impact of the School of Medicine and its alumni. We see it in the good work that we do and witness its positive impact on families and the community.”

For more information on the scholarship or to make a gift to the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, please contact [Linda Holmes](#), director of development and alumni affairs, at 304-691-1711 or go to [www.jcesom.marshall.edu/alumni](http://www.jcesom.marshall.edu/alumni).



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*Photo caption:* (From left) Drs. Christopher, John, Robert and Michael Anton, all graduates of the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, have established a scholarship at the school in honor of their parents. The *Dr. Charles Joseph Jr. and Mrs. Mary Louise Anton Scholarship* is designated for first-year medical students.

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## Marshall's Alpha Sigma Phi chapter receives national award



The Beta Delta chapter of Marshall University's Alpha Sigma Phi has received the Grand Senior President's Cup, the highest honor within the international fraternity.

This marks the record-breaking seventh time Marshall's chapter has earned this award. According to the fraternity's website, community service hours, philanthropy events,

brotherhood development, professional development, and campus and community involvement are all important factors to receiving the accolade.

Chapter President Mackenzie White said he's been working toward the recognition since his first semester with the fraternity.

"Winning this award truly was years in the making," White said. "Being able to push the young men in this fraternity just a little further in order to finally bring home the overall award is something I take a lot of pride in."

Chapter Advisor Matt James said his undergraduate experience in the fraternity shaped his professional journey.

"The gentlemen of the Beta Delta Chapter continue to this day to uplift and better themselves not only in the name of Alpha Sigma Phi, but in that of the late Dr. Daniel Babb, grand chapter advisor emeritus," James, who also serves as assistant dean of student affairs at Marshall, said.

For more information about Alpha Sigma Phi or fraternity and sorority life at Marshall, visit [www.marshall.edu/studentaffairs](http://www.marshall.edu/studentaffairs).

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*Photo:* Members of Alpha Sigma Phi celebrate their receipt of the Grand Senior President's Cup.

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## THE CURIOUS AND THE FAMILIAR

**AUGUST 14 - SEPTEMBER 8**  
**Birke Art Gallery in Smith Hall**  
**Gallery Hours: Monday - Friday | 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.**

*The Curious and the Familiar is a group exhibition including works by Virginia Derryberry (Asheville, NC), Dan Hernandez (Toledo, OH), Tim Portlock (Philadelphia, PA), and Erika Stearly (Kutztown, PA). We aim to give the viewer 4 different takes on how narrative is applied to art through looking closely and seeing things that are instantly recognizable and those that are a little bit tricky. Dan Hernandez will give an Artist's Talk on his work and influences.*

**Artist Talk: September 7 | 6 p.m. | Room 209, VAC**

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## Haas Foundation funds scholarships at RCBI

The Gene Haas Foundation has awarded \$15,000 in scholarship opportunities to the Robert C. Byrd Institute (RCBI) to support individuals pursuing careers in manufacturing and National Institute for Metal Working Skills (NIMS) credentialing at RCBI's Advanced Manufacturing Technology Centers in West Virginia.

“Providing scholarship opportunities for individuals and the ability to earn national credentials like NIMS is the driving force behind the Gene Haas Foundation,” said Toni Neary, Director of Education, Haas Factory Outlet Midwest. “We are so proud to offer these funds to individuals at RCBI – especially aware of the work they are doing to engage the next generation, and specifically more females into career pathways in manufacturing. This grant award is the true spirit of the Haas commitment to education.”

RCBI's Machinist Technology/CNC Program as well as its Step Up for Women Pre-Apprenticeship Program offers rigorous, hands-on instruction that prepares individuals for immediate employment and professional advancement. The RCBI Machinist Technology/CNC Program was the first in the nation to couple individual credentials/certifications with the ability to earn a career-enhancing associate degree.

Accredited by NIMS – an organization recognized as having the highest industry standards – the specialized training at RCBI prepares students to earn individual NIMS certifications, which are recognized nationally. Programs range from boot camps and 10-week training courses to two-year associate degree opportunities.

“We’re proud to play a pivotal role in working to meet the workforce needs of manufacturers as well as promote a pool of technically skilled individuals in West Virginia,” said Charlotte Weber, RCBI director and CEO. “More than 90 percent of our Machinist Technology/CNC graduates find employment in their chosen field. Haas has been a valuable, long-term partner of RCBI, providing state-of-the-art machine tools for instructional use in our Machinist Technology/CNC Program. This new Gene Haas Foundation Scholarship only reinforces what we already know: Haas is committed to education and the advancement of American manufacturing.”

Gene Haas established the foundation in 1999. Growing up with a strong social conscience instilled by his family, Haas initially formed the foundation to fund the needs of his local community. Haas is the owner of Haas Automation Inc., America’s leading builder of CNC machine tools, which he started in 1983. Haas Automation is now a billion-dollar company.





## 2017 Adjunct Art Faculty

AUGUST 7 - SEPTEMBER 15, 2017  
Carroll Gallery in the Visual Arts Center  
Gallery Hours: Monday-Friday | 10a.m.-4p.m.

Oftentimes, adjunct faculty makes up more of the population within a department than does full time faculty and yet the creative endeavors of these individuals goes largely unseen. The 2017 Adjunct Faculty Exhibition aims to highlight the many members who help to keep the School of Art & Design at Marshall University up and running.

Participating faculty include Amanda Abbott, Mike Bowen, Allison Broome, Tijah Bumgarner, Kyle Dyer, Jessica Malone, Melissa McCloud, Allora McCullough, Stuart Mohr, Aaron Nelson, Brent Thomas, Thomas Warf

Artist Reception: Tuesday, September 5 | 5-7p.m.

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## University offices encouraged to serve as Career Exploration Experience for students

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The Office of Career Education will host the second annual Career Exploration Experience, or CEE, job shadowing event beginning Oct. 20.

Jennifer Brown, program manager for internships and experiential learning, said this means two things for the Marshall community. You can (1) be a mentor or host to students and/or (2) encourage and refer students to engage in this program as part of their career development.

“Nobody would think of buying a car without first going on a test drive, so why not use that same approach when selecting a career? Some of Marshall University’s students will be doing just that starting this fall,” Brown said. “We need the university’s help to ensure they have opportunities to explore several different career paths.”

CEE is a one-day job shadowing opportunity for students to explore how degrees at Marshall can open up career opportunities related to their interests and skills. In addition to university offices, the Office of Career Education is looking for approximately 20 local employers in industries such as business, health care, criminal justice, engineering and marketing. Students will be spending approximately four to eight hours on site, allowing them a glimpse into a typical day. Job shadow dates will be Oct. 20 and 27, as well as Nov. 3 and 10.

“It’s very hard to pick a major or intended career path off of internet or other secondhand information alone,” said Denny Daugherty, major exploration consultant in the Office of Career Education. “When students are actually on site and can see the inner workings of the facility, they can get a much better look at what truly goes on and whether or not they view this career as a fit for themselves.”

The Office of Career Education is also using this opportunity to encourage the students to develop their professional skills, including appropriate dress, resume development, business communication, confidentiality policies and overall conduct in the workplace. Beth Waugh, senior career counselor, will be leading a series of professionalism workshops prior to the students’ arrival at their job shadow sites.

Student feedback from the inaugural program exceeded expectations, and the Office of Career Education staff is excited to repeat this event each semester in an ongoing effort to aid students in choosing a career path that best aligns with their personality, values, and personal goals.

If you have questions about CEE or would like to get your office involved, please contact the Office of Career Education by phone at 304-696-2370 or 304-696-5810 or by e-mail at [career-services@marshall.edu](mailto:career-services@marshall.edu).



## Phillips selected as Resident of the Month

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Beverly “Paige” Phillips, M.D., a resident physician in the department of pediatrics at the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, has been selected as the August Resident of the Month.

“Our resident of the month program recognizes residents like Dr. Phillips who work mostly under the radar, quietly going about their work without seeking recognition,” said Paulette S. Wehner, M.D., vice dean for graduate medical education. “It is a pleasure to acknowledge Dr. Phillips’ ability to help others

provide the best patient care possible.”

Susan Flesher, M.D., pediatrics residency program director, applauded Phillips for “excelling in her ability to provide excellent, organized patient care. This talent was apparent early in her intern year whenever we had a busy floor service. Dr. Phillips’ continual growth has allowed her to effectively lead and teach others in the delivery of quality patient care.”

Prior to receiving her medical degree from the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, Phillips received her undergraduate degree in biology from West Virginia University.

A native of Webster Springs in Webster County, West Virginia, Phillips is completing the third and final year of her pediatrics residency. After graduation next year, she plans to practice general pediatrics.

As part of her recognition as the August Resident of the Month, Phillips received items including a plaque and a designated parking spot.

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*Caption:* Beverly “Paige” Phillips, M.D., (right) a resident physician in the department of pediatrics at the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, has been selected as the August Resident of the Month. She is pictured with Susan Flesher, M.D., pediatric residency director.

## Conversion to bi-weekly pay to take place Sept. 15

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The long-anticipated state conversion to bi-weekly pay is imminent. The last planned bi-monthly paycheck will be Thursday, Aug. 31, 2017, for the pay period of Aug. 1 through Aug. 16. The first bi-weekly paycheck is planned for Friday, Sept. 15, 2017, for the pay period of Aug. 17 through Sept. 1.

Please visit the [Pay Changes website](#) for a schedule of all pay dates through Aug. 31, 2018.

If you have a specific question or need additional information concerning the bi-weekly conversion, please e-mail [paychanges@marshall.edu](mailto:paychanges@marshall.edu).

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## TimeClock Plus website available for university community

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Marshall University's Offices of Payroll and Human Resource Services have created a website with further information on TimeClock Plus, the new time and attendance system that will begin implementation on Thursday, Aug. 17. University community members are encouraged to review the resources available on the new TimeClockPlus website found here: [www.marshall.edu/finance/payroll/timeclock-plus/](http://www.marshall.edu/finance/payroll/timeclock-plus/).

This will be a phased implementation approach, with student workers, temporary staffing, and exempt employees using the new system on Aug. 17. Employees who report their time on purple time sheets will start using the new system during the first pay period in September. These changes will not affect MURC or other non-state employees.

If you have further questions, e-mail [human-resources@marshall.edu](mailto:human-resources@marshall.edu) or call 304-696-6455.

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The next regular issue of *We Are...Marshall* will be distributed Aug. 30, 2017. Please send items for consideration to [WAMnewsletter@marshall.edu](mailto:WAMnewsletter@marshall.edu) by 5 p.m. Monday, Aug. 28.

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